

Afternoon Dress for the Little Girl



A design in a dress and coat for a little girl, which may be successfully made up in any sort of material is shown here. As pictured the dress is of Irish poplin with a border of ottoman silk in a wide bias band about the bottom of the skirt, and a jacket of the same silk as the band. But the model is just as well adapted to many of the new cotton fabrics. It might be developed in cotton gaberdine for the dress, and cotton corduroy for the jacket, in any of the light, staple colors that these new fabrics are made in.

As shown in the picture the skirt is set on to a belt of the poplin which is also the belt of the plain bodice. The bodice has a small yoke, opening at the neck in a shallow "V" and finished with little, buttoned scallops. The coat is cut with long shoulders

and short sleeves and is lined with the poplin. This is used also for the turnback cuffs and collar and appears in a piping about the edges of the little garment. Small pink frogs form the single fastening. A giraffe is worn with the dress.

Among other pretty models for the little miss are full skirts of plaid material confined at the waist with several rows of shirring and set onto a plain belt of the plaid. Wide suspenders made also of the plaid material are set onto the belt. Such skirts are finished with a plain, three-inch hem and are only moderately wide. They are worn over thin blouses made of batiste or organdie or other sheer material. Short top coats or jackets of plain woolen goods, matching the dominant color in the plaid skirt, are worn with them. Together they make a smart looking outfit for the little girl.

Showing the Direction of the Millinery Wind



Here are two pretty dress hats which show which way the millinery wind blows. As to trimming it points to simplicity, but as to shape it continues to blow "every which way." In materials hatters' plush, velours and combinations of velvet with other materials are in steady demand and such combinations appear in these two hats. At the top the picturesque shape is of velvet and plush, the velvet appearing on the upper brim and in a wide flange against the plush facing. The top crown is of velvet. A wide, handsome faille ribbon is laid in folds about the side crown and the ends are joined at the right of the front. Here an odd feather ornament is posed at an equally odd angle. Sprays of the feathers, which look like frost-covered twigs, spring from a big cabochon of feathers and dance in every breeze that blows. At the left a ball and tassel of silk, fastened against the crown, give this model more than the usual allowance of ornament.

The brim in this shape is very irregular and the crown is eccentric in shape but both are made on good and

becoming lines. Such shapes are not universally becoming, but when they do suit the face, they seem made especially for the wearers.

Below is a French sailor with the brim widened at the left front, which is an indication of the privilege accorded to brim by the mode. They do all sorts of unexpected things. The brim is of hatters' plush faced with velvet and has a narrow velvet binding. The top crown is soft and of velvet.

This hat, becoming to almost every face, has a band of the new, brilliant flitter-jet about the side crown. The sequins are small and set very thick, overlapping one another in a mass of brilliant scales. Two long "feelers" spring from a small oblong body of the flitter-jet, the little sequins or spangles extending a little way on each one. Two of the odd, stiff ornaments are set at the back—one on each side of it. The hat would be prettier without these, and measured by the season's standards would be amply trimmed.

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FRIENDSHIP BRACELET A FAD

Pretty Idea Which at Once Met With Recognition and is Spreading Among Young People.

There is a fad among young people for so-called "friendship" bracelets. Each of her friends, of either sex, furnishes the girl who is starting her bracelet with one flat link, upon which his or her initials are engraved. Then the links are slipped on to a flat velvet band and tied with a bow.

or have a clasp which the girl herself has made, with her own initials engraved upon it.

Many dealers furnish the links from 25 cents up, according to size, material and weight, engraving the initials free of charge. If desired, one may have the links fastened together by little rings, doing away with the velvet band.

It is believed by the superstitious that a mole in the hollow of the cheek denotes a quarrelsome disposition.

THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Oct. 18, 1914.

Severe fighting near Nieuport and in Alsace.
Germans repulsed by Belgians at River Yser and by French at St. Die.
Germans evacuated Courtrai.
Austrians repulsed at River San.
Serbians routed Austrians on the Save and the Drina.
Anti-German riots in London.
President Poincaré's country house destroyed by Germans.

Oct. 19, 1914.

Allies, aided by British warships, repulsed German advance between Nieuport and Dixmude.
Germans attacked allied line from Ostend to Lille.
Fierce fighting near Warsaw and Przemyśl.
Serbians captured Sarajevo forts.
British battleship Triumph damaged at Tsingtau.
Japanese cruiser Takachiho sunk by German submarine in Kiaochow bay.
Austrian submarine sunk by French cruiser in Adriatic.
Fifty thousand Belgian refugees returned from Holland.
Irish nationalists in London took pledge to avenge Belgium.
Italian fleet mobilized.

Oct. 20, 1914.

Germans gained near Lille.
Battles along banks of the Yser, on the Arras-Roye line and on the Meuse.
Allies reported recapture of Bruges.
Przemysl forts badly damaged.
Austrians advanced in Stry and Stica valleys.
Serbians won at Preklet.
British submarine E-3 sunk.
Japanese fleet took islands of Marianne group.
Two German ships sunk at Jaluit.

Oct. 21, 1914.

British monitors bombarded German right wing on Belgian coast.
Allies repulsed German attacks at Nieuport, Dixmude and La Bassee.

Heavy fighting on the Yser.
Russians defeated German-Austrians in northern Poland and halted Austrians at the San.
Serbians repulsed Austrian attacks in Bosnia.

Cattaro again bombarded.
German cruiser Emden sank five British steamships in Indian Ocean.

All unnaturalized German and Austrian residents in England of military age ordered put in detention camps.

Oct. 22, 1914.

French retook Altkirch.
General Helmuth von Moltke, chief of German general staff, retired on account of health.

Russians defeated Germans near Warsaw.
Russians captured many Austrians and some guns in Galicia.

French and British warships bombarded German positions on Belgian coast.
British cruiser Carmania damaged.

American relief committee cabled \$50,000 to Belgians.

Oct. 23, 1914.

German right wing, re-enforced, gained ground at La Bassee.
Heavy fighting between the Ghent-Bruges line and Roulers.

Russians won battle along the Vistula and pursued the Austrians in Poland.

Germans moved fortified positions to River Warthe.
Austrians recaptured Czernowitz and announced capture of forts near Sambor.

German aviators dropped bombs on Warsaw.
Woman spies executed in Germany.

They Always Do.
"Does anyone think your son has a future?" "Yes, the life insurance companies."—Life.

The Desired Consumption.
"I'm troubled with a sense of fullness after eating," said the dyspeptic.

"Good heavens!" exclaimed the healthy gourmand. "Isn't that what you eat for?"

The Main Thing.
"Seems strange to me how many various sorts of inquiries the newspapers have about coins."

"Why so?"
"In my circle all a man wants to know about a coin is if it's good."

Too Much Sunshine.
"Your boy Josh says he is the sunshine of the household."

"Yep," replied Farmer Cornstossel. "But there's such a thing as too much sunshine. Josh's perpetual cutting up around the place gets to be about as cheerful as a drought."

A Domestic Tragedy.
"There goes the woman who caused a great breaking up in my home."

"Who is she?"
"The cook we've just fired for smashing our best dinner set."

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

Plans for New Public Buildings Are Deferred

WASHINGTON.—The long-pending plans for construction of new buildings for the state, justice and commerce departments, south of Pennsylvania avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets northwest, will not be taken up, at the earliest, before the lapse of two more years. Word has gone out to the heads of these departments that congress will not be asked to appropriate for federal construction before 1917.

The reason for this postponement is economy at a time when the treasury is in a depleted condition, together with the prospect that congress will be asked to appropriate for the national defense.

The labor, justice and commerce departments now occupy leased buildings. The two former have complained about their inadequate quarters. The commerce department arranged with private capitalists to erect its present home on a five-year lease at an annual rental of \$65,000.

The tract south of Pennsylvania avenue, between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, was bought by congress a few years ago with the announced intention of putting up buildings for three departments. Steps to appropriate for them fell through, however, and since then some of the properties on the tract have been leased by the government by the year.

Lock and Key of Peking Interested These Two

TWO young Chinese men stood before a glass case over at the museum. That the exhibit on its lower shelf had caught the interest of the two was evident from their suppressed excitement of speech and the care with which one of them copied the information on the accompanying card.

Curiosity is contagious. As soon as the Chinese had passed on another person who had been watching from the fish pond went over to the case. At first sight the exhibit looked like a clasp of old and rusty iron, and lying by it another piece of the same ancient metal that might be a sort of lever, say about three feet long. Its dramatic interest for the Orientals lay in the printing on the card: "Lock and key to the city gate of Peking, known as the front gate, directly opposite the emperor's palace. This gate was taken by the United States marines, August 14, 1900. In the spring of 1900 the perilous situation of the members of the American legation at Peking, and their complete isolation in the midst of a murderous population demanded prompt action for their relief. The commandant, division of the Philippines, was instructed by cable, June 6, 1900, to send at once a regiment of infantry to Taku, and Maj. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, U. S. V., was selected to command."

"Please move so's we can see," the person who had been reading the card made way for a heavy-shouldered, double-chinned, big-waisted young woman in silver-gray crumpled from travel, and freak white shoes that bulged over at the sides like raised dough. And she was clinging to an undersized and obvious bridegroom.

When she saw what there was to see the young lady elephant said to her undersized one—with an artless disregard of the fact that other people have ears:

"Lordy, Jim; I thought it must be somethin' worth lookin' at the way that woman was starin'—comerlong."

To them the lock and key of the city gate of Peking was only so much rusty, time-gnawed iron. So, naturally, they turned to metal more attractive. And when the case was clear the Chinese men returned.

New Air Fighting Gun That Shoots Both Ways

A NEW air-fighting gun is undergoing experimental trial by the aviation corps of the United States navy department. It is the invention of Commander Cleland Davis, U. S. N., and fires a 15-pound shell carrying about one pound of high explosive—enough to blow a flying machine to smithereens or to inflict dangerous damage upon a Zeppelin or other dirigible.

Commander Davis is the navy's foremost inventor. It was he who not long ago originated a new kind of torpedo gun which is under consideration by the department.

One remarkable feature of his "aero gun" is that it shoots both ways. For loading, it is "broken" in the middle, where the big cartridge is introduced. In the rear part of the cartridge are packed 15 rounds of buckshot, between which and the projectile is the firing charge of smokeless gunpowder.

When the shell is discharged at the muzzle the buckshot is simultaneously thrown out at the butt end of the tube, which is of the same diameter throughout its length.

The buckshot, needless to say, is not meant to do the adversary any damage. Its discharge merely serves to take up the recoil of the weapon. This, up to the present time, has been the principal difficulty encountered in efforts to solve the problem of the aeroplane gun. To fire large explosive projectiles from a flying machine has seemed impracticable because the recoil of the gun would upset the delicate balance of the warplane, imperiling its safety and that of its navigator.

It is for this reason that nowadays no more formidable weapons than light machine guns, weighing about 20 pounds and firing ordinary rifle bullets, are installed on the armored aëros.

Why They Cheered Transfer of George E. Downey

CHEERS on the transfer of George E. Downey from the post of comptroller of the treasury to a place on the court of claims arose from at least one department in which Downey had curtailed expense accounts that were described as verging upon graft. In some instances, it is admitted in the comptroller's office, the apparent "graft" was perfectly regular under the law, but even in these Downey held it to be illegitimate and declined to approve vouchers which technically seemed to be correct.

For example, an army officer stationed in the tropics put in a claim for his "fuel allowance" of \$75 for "heating his home," and threatened the comptroller's office with dire consequences when it declined to honor the bill. Under the law of the United States this officer was entitled to this allowance, under the law of common sense Downey put his foot down.

"This is only one of almost a thousand instances demonstrating the negligence, carelessness and recklessness with which congress passes laws, especially under the army, navy and other appropriation bills," said an official of the comptroller's office.

Also it is said to be "very customary" for an army officer to rent a house for, say, \$40 and charge the government the maximum of \$60, allowed him for his quarters, while some officers' wives are said to rent houses from the real owners and in turn lease them to the government at a higher rate for their own families' occupancy. Many other irregularities also have been exposed under the Downey regime.

So now the alleged beneficiaries of the reported irregularities have cheered the departure of Downey.

POSTSCRIPTS

An Illinois inventor has patented a guitar with two sets of strings on which one person can play duets.

A Massachusetts man has patented pads to be worn inside trousers to keep the knees from bagging.

An Englishman has invented a fly killing instrument that works with a trigger and resembles a pistol.

A combination ladder and scaffold with many uses that folds as compactly as a step-ladder has been patented.

A Chicago inventor's burglar proof window sash is provided with bars that rise from within the window frame as the sash is lifted.

Ladybirds are of great service to the gardener by reason of their destruction of plant lice, among which they lay their eggs, and as the larva come to life they feed on the lice.

Water issues from an artesian well on a Georgia farm with sufficient force to light its owner's house and turn with electricity and to give him power for small machinery.

Gentleness.
"So you think the world is growing better?"
"I do," replied the cheery citizen.
"In spite of all these wars?"
"Yes. If human nature were not very gentle and obedient it would be impossible to send so many men to war without letting them know precisely what they were fighting about."

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Changed.
"I wasn't always as you see me now," said the beggar.
"So I noticed," said the man. "Yesterday you only had one leg."

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In this age living within one's means is termed existence.

Going It Too Hard

We are inclined nowadays to "go it too hard," to overwork, worry, eat and drink too much, and to neglect our rest and sleep. This fills the blood with uric acid. The kidneys weaken and then it's a slope of backache, dizzy, nervous spells, rheumatic pains and distressing urinary disorders. Don't wait for worse troubles. Strengthen the kidneys. Use Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Mean of Her.
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"I hope you are always a good boy, Tommy."
"Well, I don't, sir. I don't want to die young."

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